# Liveable cities and towns

#### The future of travel in a net-zero world

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#### A society where the way we travel creates healthier places and happier lives for everyone

### **Our vision**









#### Liveable cities and towns for everyone

Has social connection at its heart



Has most of what you need just a short walk away



**3** Has roots and celebrates its unique character





Is easy for everyone to move around healthily in Has clean air and green space for all to live and play in

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#### **Our vision for change**



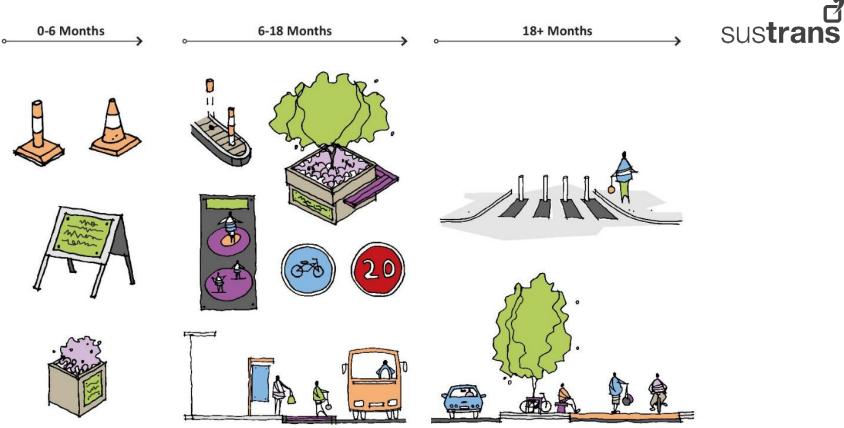


Create places that connect us to each other and what we need, where everyone can thrive without having to use a car.





#### TIMELINE



## **Union Street, Dundee**





# Kelvin Way

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#### **Transport inequalities**



## Places are designed around cars, not people.

The way we travel, or are forced to travel, disproportionately affects the poorest and most vulnerable.



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# **Designing together**









#### Challenges



- Inclusivity is it possible with 'digital-first' engagement?
- **Trust** how do we develop two-way relationships that empower communities?
- **Uncertainty** how do we design processes that can quickly be adapted based on the latest public health guidance?
- **Partnerships** are local groups and stakeholders still able to help us reach new audiences?
- **Resources** doing this well takes time and commitment, who will fund it?
- **Online civility** how do we make these spaces safe for public dialogue?

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